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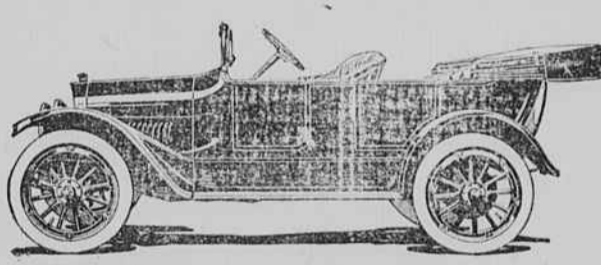
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Local News

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Miss Jennie Kitts, who has been critically ill for several weeks at the home of A. B. Scott, is a good deal better.

Mrs. W. T. Witten is in Lynchburg the guest of her parents.

W. D. Jones, of Gratton, is reported improving from a recent spell of illness.

Mrs. Geo. R. Surface, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Peirce, in Norton, for several weeks, returned to Tazewell Wednesday.

Mrs. J. C. McNulty left Wednesday for Falls Mills to be the guest for a week of Major and Mrs. Samuel Walton.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Tarter—a fine baby girl.

Dr. Chas. R. Robins, the distinguished specialist, of Richmond, was here Sunday as the guest of Dr. J. Walter Witten, at North Tazewell.

Miss Virgie Beavers, of Carterton, is visiting her brother, Walter Beavers, at North Tazewell.

Miss Carrie Alderson, of Lebanon, is the guest of her relative, Mrs. N. W. Kiser, at North Tazewell.

Miss Sadie Whitley expects to leave North Tazewell tomorrow for a few days visit to Mrs. John Graham, in Bluefield.

Miss Alderson, of Lebanon, is the guest in the family of Mr. Jesse McCall, on Tazewell Avenue.

Invitations have been received here to the marriage next week of S. C. Graham, Jr., son of Judge S. C. Graham, of this town, to Miss Ruth Flannery, of Wise. A number of Tazewell people will attend the wedding.

Mr. M. L. Peery received a letter on Monday from his son in Texas, who lives not far from the Oklahoma line, which letter stated that they were having an excess of rain in that section.

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Mr. Frank E. Whitt, of this town, has accepted a position as traveling salesman for the Norville, Chambers Shoe Co., of Huntington. His territory will embrace counties in South-west Virginia.

Mr. W. E. Peery was in Bluefield Monday night to see his son, Robert, who underwent an operation Monday morning in that city for an ailment that has troubled him greatly the past few years. The young man is doing well.

John C. Hopkins, of the firm of Graybeal, Hopkins & Co., of Williamson, W. Va., has been at his home at North Tazewell the past week suffering with tonsillitis.

The picture show slipped a cog on Monday and Tuesday nights and was dark. Bluefield was depended upon for films, but the impending drought seems to have gone to their heads.

The only danger now to the great wheat crop in the West, is that it may be injured by an excess of rainfall. A little of that rain, not needed or wanted there, would feel "mighty good" here.

Burford C. Tynes made a flying trip to his parents here, Major and Mrs. Tynes, on last Saturday, remaining over until Sunday afternoon. He stated to a News man that he had positively declined to become a candidate for nomination to Congress from his district, which he had urged upon him.

Mayor-elect R. B. Williamson, of Graham, was here Monday getting up data relating to a recent bond issue election in his town. Certain citizens of Graham have instituted a contest of the recent municipal election in which Mr. Williamson was elected Mayor, and he, with the other successful candidates, have employed

Mrs. J. O. Mitchell is here from Keystone, and will make her home here for the present. The family lost everything by fire a short time ago. The house they were occupying was totally destroyed, with entire contents, the family not even saving their wearing apparel.

Mr. Joseph Leslie is home from Richmond College. He made No. 1 on all his classes, and is now operating the big machine in the News office, and doing it well, of course. Mighty convenient it is to have boys of your own to fall back on and call on when outside employees get "sick," or walk off and fail to walk on again! Thus, Clinch Valley News is operated entirely now by "home talent."

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. W. Walton, of Roanoke, have been here for sometime on a visit to relatives. Tazewell is Mrs. Walton's birth-place, and here, in the old home, she was married. Her father, the late Joseph Stras, brother Joseph, now of Roanoke, and B. W. Stras, still here—all these have inked the name forever with the history of Tazewell. Mrs. Walton is always a welcome visitor to Tazewell.

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TAZEWELL, VA.

Miss Janie Thompson, who has spent her vacation visiting friends in various sections since the close of her school at Farmville, reached her home here yesterday morning for the summer.

Petitions calling for the prohibition election are being circulated in the county and are receiving signatures in large numbers.

Mrs. F. F. Bullard, of Lynchburg, is the summer guest of her relative, Mrs. R. Jeff Ward.

Miss Mary Turk is spending the summer as the guest of her mother at Moffett's Creek, near Staunton.

Miss Marjorie Harrison, instructor in the Woman's College, of Frederick, Md., is spending the summer here.

Mr. Geo. R. Surface has bought the property on Tazewell avenue now occupied by Peery Greener, from J. T. Asbury. The house and lot was formerly owned by Mr. George Harrison.

Mr. Chas. Gross, representing Messrs. Strouse and Bros., Baltimore, Md., will be at Jno. S. Bottimore's store Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 2nd, 3rd, and 4th, for the purpose of taking measures for the coming season.

W. G. O'Brien, of the Tazewell Republican, is at Alexandria attending the meeting of the Virginia Press Association.

Mr. P. F. Howell, the harness-maker, has his shop in a room in the telephone building. New tools and supplies have been received, and work is being turned out as usual.

A big dinner and general good time was had at Hugh Brown's in the Cove last Sunday, the occasion being the celebration of the 78th anniversary of Mrs. Zarilda Brown, his mother. A number of members of her family and relatives were present and enjoyed the many good things to eat.

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Jno. B. Thompson, of Burke's Garden, spent the week in town.

Jno. S. Bottimore is again ready to meet the demands of his trade, and is conveniently and comfortably fixed in the old Inn property.

Mr. A. S. Higginbotham, who has been on a business trip to North Carolina, has returned.

Robert H. Moore, of the National Bank, attended the meeting of the Virginia Bankers Association at Old Point last week.

Jno. S. Bottimore is now offering his entire stock of men's and boys' clothing at greatly reduced prices.

It will be to your advantage to buy a suit from Jno. S. Bottimore while he is offering them at a sacrifice.

Miss Laura Carrington, of Lexington, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. P. Williams several weeks, has returned to her home.

Mr. Henry F. Bausell, editor of the Lebanon News, was in town last Friday morning between trains.

Graham has added two new policemen to its force—Robert Yost and Willis Sutphin.

A tennis tournament was played here yesterday afternoon between Eckman and Tazewell.

Miss Rosie Stephenson, of South Carolina, has been for sometime the guest of Miss Mary Olive Harrison.

A news letter from North Tazewell R. F. D. comes to the office with no name signed, and of course, cannot be published.

Mr. and Mrs. H. James Kelly, of Sioux Falls, S. D., arrived in Tazewell Tuesday and will spend several weeks as the guests of relatives.

The pictures being shown at the Amuzu are shown to much better advantage since the overhauling, new screen, etc. The building is well ventilated and pleasant.

Miss Coe, a fine young lady of Chilhowie, was here to attend the marriage of her school mate, Miss Rose Whitley, which took place on Wednesday.

The Stra Milling Company delivered this week 3 Overlands in Pocahontas, a Ford to Dr. Bundy at Cedar Bluff, and to Glenn St. Clair, Tazewell.

Jim Davis, colored, was stabbed to death by Jim Mouse at Jewell, near Richlands, last Monday night. The cause of the difficulty is unknown. The men were coal miners for Jewell Ridge Coal Corporation.

C. W. Steele, Superintendent of Jewell Ridge Coal Corporation, and Jno. W. McClintock, store manager, were here on a visit to their homes the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Shawver, and two pretty children, Gratton, were here on Wednesday. Mrs. Shawver was shopping, and incidentally had a tooth or two yanked, sawed down, filled, etc., and didn't seem to mind it.

The Christians Woman's Board of Missions will hold a two days Institute here beginning Tuesday, June 30th, at 8 p. m., in the Christian church. An attractive program has been prepared Mrs. Oliver, of Lynchburg, besides a number of other well known speakers from outside, and a number of Tazewell people, are scheduled for addresses.

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Last Wednesday afternoon and well into the evening there was a dry time on Tazewell Avenue, and perhaps other sections of the town, while some connection or other was being made in the water pipes. The women had a time preparing supper, and they say the signal whistle didn't notify them of the shut-off, else they would have stored up a supply. Somebody forgot, it seems.

The past week has been one of the hottest yet. Fortunately, the nights are cool. The drought is practically unbroken. Several good showers have fallen in the east end of the county, relieving for a short time, the excessive dryness. Corn is looking well, but will soon suffer unless rain comes. Gardens have suffered, and the effects of the drought are evident everywhere around here. At this writing, Thursday noon, there is no sign of rain.

Unaka News.
Unaka, June 24.—Mr. J. N. Harman delivered an excellent sermon at Rocky Dell Sunday afternoon. Mr. Harman expects to have regular services there every month.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Harris were visiting homefolks Sunday.

R. C. Cooper came up Friday to attend to some business and returned Sunday, taking his wife and children. Mr. Cooper expects to move to the country in the near future.

J. C. Burton, with his oldest daughter, was visiting homefolks Sunday.

Mr. W. H. Barnett continues ill at his home.

Misses Mabel Bourne and Uva Steele returned to Pounding Mill Saturday.

John Yost came home last week on account of a severe cold inflicted upon him by an engine.

E. S. Yost is visiting homefolks this week.

J. W. Hackworth returned this week from a few days visit to Falls Mills and other points.

Frank Fox spent the night with homefolks here this week.

To Practice Law Here.

Mrs. Ally Grey Moore, of Waterboro, S. C., and Mr. A. C. Buchanan, of Washington & Lee University, reached Tazewell yesterday, and are the guests of parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Buchanan. Mr. Buchanan took the state bar examination on Wednesday, and will take up the practice of law here with his uncle, Mr. J. W. Chapman.

POUNDING MILL NEWS.

Pounding Mill, June 23.—Mrs. R. K. Gillespie and daughter, Miss Mary Barnes, spent the day today at Gillespie, the guests of friends.

Twenty-eight dollars was taken in at the ice-cream supper here Saturday night. Everyone had a most pleasant time.

There will be an "Everybody's Picnic" here the 4th of July, under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Mrs. Nannie Belle Osborne, who did a great deal of temperance work in West Virginia last year, will give a temperance lecture at 11 o'clock. The picnic will be on Clinch River bank at the mouth of the Branch near the old log church close to the station—an ideal place for bathing, wading and fishing, and lots of sand for the little girls with their buckets and shovels. Everyone is invited. Come and bring a lunch and spend one of the happiest days of your life.

H. G. Gillespie, who graduated at V. P. L., Blacksburg, last week, is at home. He is now a young chemist.

Mrs. C. H. Trayer and little son, Malcolm; Mrs. W. B. Steele, Messrs. R. M. Sparks and W. C. Fowler attended the Sunday Schol Convention at Tazewell on Thursday.

Misses Mary and Katie Hurt, Jessie and Olie Kate Gillespie, and Florence Harris returned Sunday from a visit to Newport News and other points.

Mrs. Mary Maxwell, and son, of Bluefield, spent last week here visiting her sister, Mrs. R. M. Sparks, and numerous other relatives and friends.

Rev. Peyton, of Nashville, of the Episcopal church, preached to a large audience here Sunday night, guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Osborne, of Princeton, W. Va., spent Sunday night as the guest of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Osborne. Mrs. Osborne left Monday morning for Honaker, where she and her brother, Rev. James Graham, will hold a protracted meeting.

W. B. Steele returned Monday from a business trip to War, W. Va.

Farmers the past week have been cutting wheat, which is fairly good.

R. K. Gillespie and Co., loaded a car of fine lambs here last week.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Williams and children, of Richlands, motored to this place today in their new Studebaker. They were the guests of his aunt and brother, Mrs. Rebekah Williams and Robert Williams.

Mrs. G. R. Thoms and daughter, Mrs. Joseph Smith, returned this afternoon from Anderson, Indiana, where they attended the Assembly of the Church of God. Over twenty-five hundred persons ate dinner in the two big dining rooms on Sunday—over five hundred ate at one time, besides the many who ate on the grounds. They report a great meeting and a most enjoyable trip. Mrs. Sam Ward their daughter and sister, who accompanied them, stopped off in Kentucky, where she will probably teach in one of the public schools.

R. F. Gillespie has returned from Hampden-Sidney College.

Mr. A. J. Pettis was called to Marion on Thursday on account of the illness of his son, William, who passed away in a short time after Mr. Pettis' arrival. The young man had gotten away from the authorities at the Asylum, and ran about ten miles in an hour, it is said, and was found exhausted in a railroad station. After living a few days he died from having been over-heated or from exhaustion. His funeral was preached at his home, the residence of the late W. C. Williams, Saturday at 11 o'clock, by Rev. Edward Smith, followed by a talk by Rev. G. R. Thomas, both of which were deep and instructive, to a large number of relatives and friends, and interment was made in the W. C. Williams cemetery, nearby. He was 30 years old and had been afflicted for several years. Much sympathy goes out to his parents, brothers and sister in their great sorrow.

Rev. W. S. Bullard, of Tazewell, preached a most excellent sermon on Sunday at 11 o'clock, at this place.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at Union Church next Sunday at 3:30. Everybody is invited.

Miss Rebekah Davis returned last week from a visit to her brother, T. J. Davis. Her little nephew returned with her to spend a month.

NOTICE.

I now have a dray wagon running between Tazewell and the depot, meeting all trains, and any business given me will be carefully handled and greatly appreciated.

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House Party at B. W. Stras.

Miss Rosalie Stras has had the pleasure of a number of guests in her home South of town this week. The house party comprises the following young people:

Miss Belinda Mitchell, of Roanoke; Miss Helen Smith, of Winston-Salem; Miss Cornelia Taylor, of Winston-Salem; Miss Elizabeth Ewart, of Bedford City; Miss Isabel Ewart, of Bedford City; Miss Edna Roberts, of Williamsburg; Miss Bessie Trippett, of Boykins, S. C.; Mr. Owen Norville, of Winston-Salem; Mr. J. S. Walton and Mr. A. L. Stras, of Roanoke, and John McGuire, of Cedar Bluff. Attorney B. W. Stras, Jr., of Winston-Salem, has also been at home to enjoy the occasion.

The Protocol is Signed.

Ningara Falls, Ont., June 24.—Terms for composing all international differences between the United States and Mexico have been concluded. The conditions under which diplomatic relations will be resumed were embodied in a protocol signed tonight by the Ambassador from Brazil, the ministers of Chile and Argentina and the American and Huerta delegates.

The character of the settlement is not expected to arouse opposition from the Constitutionalists, who would participate in it and to a large degree, it would make the adjustment of all internal disputes.

When a new provisional government is established to succeed that headed by General Huerta, the result of mediation—recognized as a triumph for Pan-American diplomacy—will become effective.

Coincidentally with the action taken tonight, it was announced that the actual selection of a provisional president, and the organization of the new government, will be left to an informal conference of representatives of the Constitutionalists.

The protocol was drafted early today and its phraseology telegraphed to Washington for approval. At 9 o'clock tonight word came from President Wilson and Secretary Bryan authorizing the American delegates to sign it.

The results of the mediators' work tonight places the issue now squarely before the representatives of the two warring factions. On them will rest the responsibility for failure or success of the peace plans as a whole.

Sensation at Graham.

Quite a sensational report is made through the Bluefield Telegraph, of the chloroforming of a lady, Mrs. R. T. Phelps, by a negro, at her home in East Graham, on Monday morning last, between 10 and 11 o'clock. According to this report the negro entered the room where Mrs. Phelps was lying in bed. She not being well, chloroformed her, ransacked the house, securing about four dollars in money, and several articles, and escaped. No one was in the house at the time except Mrs. Phelps, the other members of the family being in the back yard and garden. A colored girl saw the negro leaving the house, and she and others corroborated Mrs. Phelps as to the chloroforming. The negro's sole object was robbery, it is stated. No arrests had been made at last reports.

Attending Meeting of Tax Commission.

The farmers of the county are taking a great deal of interest in the work of the tax commission appointed by the last legislature. A meeting was held at Wytheville yesterday, at tended by the following gentlemen of this county:

Ex-Senators J. S. Gillespie and A. St. Clair; Senator J. P. Royall; Messrs. R. M. Lawton, S. J. Thompson, George Ward, F. M. Moss, H. P. Brittain, Wm. E. Peery, and others.